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## TELLS THE TRUTH.

Walter Wellman, the Washington correspondent of the ultra-Republican Chicago Record-Herald, thus describes the effect of Gen. Grover's speech:

"This speech has elicited widespread comment in Washington. It has been the talk of the day. It served to emphasize a fact which is gradually drawing upon the consciousness of the Republican leaders that they have blundered sadly in not revising at least some of the high schedules during the present session of Congress. At least the leaders are beginning to appreciate that the people of the Middle West are not so easily won over by the promises of the altitudinal rates on which big industrial combinations thrive and are fat by means of unreasonably high prices extorted from the consumers."

"Already there is talk among the Republican leaders of trying to do something in the way of tariff revision before the next session of Congress. They have been rather slow in realizing the situation, in reaching an understanding of the danger which threatens them, and some of them do not see it even now. But those who have had their eyes opened to the situation are beginning to go into the campaign of 1904 with the Dingley law as a platform. The trouble is that it is almost impossible to carry through a tariff revision in the short session of Congress, such as next winter's session will be. But there is talk of trying it."

"President Roosevelt has told a number of callers recently that he very earnestly believed that the tariff should be revised before the next presidential campaign, and hinted that he might call a special session of Congress for that purpose."

"The Republicans are in a genuine scare about the next house."

## HOW IT FEELS TO DIE.

Probably no man ever lived who has not at one time or another asked himself the question, "How does it feel to die?"

In Minneapolis there lives a man who has not only asked the question, but is able to answer it as well. He has in reality died six times, yet is alive and in the best of health today. This man whose experience baffles comparison, is William J. Rohr. Since he was a boy going to school he has experienced different routes trying to cross the river Styx, but each time as he expressed it, St. Peter's messenger, and summoned a false alarm. Rohr is confident that the slender thread that holds his life possesses marvelous strength, for he passed through the following ordeals, each of which brought him near death:

Fell through a hole in the ice while skating on a mill pond; unconscious when taken from the water.

Fell into the river while protecting a bridge from an ice flow; unconscious when taken from the water.

Strucked in an air tight trunk while hiding in a tunnel; hide and seek; unconscious when found.

Fell over a precipice in St. Paul to ground below, a distance of 105 feet; unconscious when picked up.

Stricken with consumption and given up to die, but refused to allow the doctors to have their way.

Attempted suicide by shooting himself in the breast with a revolver; unconscious when picked up, but not dead.

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## A TERRIBLE WARNING.

A man who was too economical to take a spider, sent his little boy to borrow the copy taken by his neighbor. In his haste the boy ran over a four dollar stand of beer and in ten minutes looked like a "water summer squash." His cries reached his father, who ran to his assistance and, failing to see a barb wire fence, ran into it, breaking it down, cutting a handful of flesh from his anatomy and ruining a four dollar pair of pants. The old cow took advantage of the gap in the fence, got into the corn field and killed her self eating green corn. Hearing the racket, his wife ran, upsetting a chair full of rich cream into a basket of kittens drowning the whole flock. In her hurry, she dropped a set of seven dollar false teeth. The baby left alone, crawled through the spilled milk into the parlor and raised a seven dollar carpet. During this excitement, the oldest daughter ran away with the hired man, the dogs broke up, eleven setting hens, the calves got out and chewed the tails off of four fine thoroughbred colts. -Selected.

## HARRIS' DRAINAGE LAW.

J. C. Harris, a large land owner of Lake County, is in the city and gives a glowing account of the law in Lake section of the State. The building of a levee recently has enhanced the value of property greatly and a continuation of the levee building would make possible the construction of a railroad in a heretofore abandoned territory that is rich in timber resources.

Mr. Harris is interested in a drainage law that works successfully in reclaiming submerged sections. There are many minor bodies of water in Lake and Ohio Counties which when considered all together cover a vast area of valuable land. Mr. Harris will make an effort to have passed in the next Legislature a law that requires owners to bear a pro rata share of the expenses of draining lands. Such a law is said to be in vogue in Indiana and Missouri. -Nashville American.

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A. A. Averton, the House Sign and Ornamental Painter has located in the town of Hickman to ply his trade, and respectfully solicits the patronage of the public. You can get first class Painting, Gilding, Graining, Sign Painting and Paper Hanging at customary prices, and you can also get your buggy repaired at a nominal cost, with the old process and with patent paint. Leave your orders at Cowgill's Drug Store. Respectfully, A. A. AVERTON.

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## SHERIFF'S SALE.

I will on Saturday, April 16th, at 2 p. m., at Holcomb's Corner on Clinton street offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, one Horse, Buggy and Harness.

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## AIR TRAVELING.

The coming of Santos Dumont, the Franco-Brazilian inventor, to the United States, with the avowed purpose of arousing American inventors along the line of aerial navigation, to be coming effort to win the \$25,000 prize offered by the manager of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, may not mark an epoch in Twentieth Century achievement, but it is possible that it will make an important page.

The achievement of aerial navigation, in its utilization sense, is yet to be accomplished. Its accomplishment is, of course, a problem, but not one more insoluble than other parallel problems so wonderfully elucidated within the century immediately behind us.

Probably no one realized a century ago the great possibilities that lay in electrical discoveries, which to day constitute such an important factor in the world's economy. At that date it was more a matter of speculative philosophy than aerial navigation is today. From the days of Franklin to the achievements of Morse and Bush, and Bell and Edison and Marconi, in recent times, the long series of experiment were invective only of incredulity or well meant pity, among the masses of mankind.

## UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

For the Annual Meeting at Dallas, Tex., Aug. 2nd to 25th, 1904, the U. C. V. Railroad will make rate of one cent per mile for the round trip, with no extra charge for baggage. Tickets will be returned May 1st. Ask your nearest ticket agent for particulars.

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## SWAYNE'S, The Druggist.

If in need of any of the above, he invites you to call and let him make you prices on same before buying.

## PADUCAH

THE PLACE TO BE AT THE TIME.

Paducah, April 15.—The appellate district committee met here today and have been in session since ten o'clock this morning.

Paducah was selected as the place to hold the convention and to select delegates to the various counties to hold conventions to select delegates to the district conventions.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CONGRESS.

We are authorized to announce **SAMUEL COMSTOCK**, of Gray County, as a candidate to represent the 1st Congressional District in the Lower House of the next Congress of the United States. His candidacy is subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### Fall in Confide.

The through train for Dallas, Texas, Confederate reunion, will leave Hickman, 7 a. m., April 23d. Take the train here and you are sure to get a good seat and be immediately with those you know. No change of cars until you reach Dallas.

### Killing in Lake County.

John Cook shot and killed Robert Dunning, near Crossville, Lake County, Saturday evening last. Both men were prominent farmers of that county. Mrs. Cook was teaching school at Crossville, and whipped two of Dunning's children, whereupon Dunning had a warrant issued for her arrest. Dunning went to Cook's house, called Cook out, when Cook shot and killed him. Only the two men were present, and Cook claims to have acted in self defense.

### County Court.

The regular April term of the Fulton County Court was held Monday, Judge H. M. Kearby, presiding.

### WILLS PROBATED.

The following wills were probated: The will of Sarah C. Norman. The will of Henry Thomas. The will of Miss Julia Thomas.

### OVERSEERS APPOINTED.

The following road overseers were appointed: Sam Hard, overseer on Wesley road. Tom Stallins, overseer on State road, 6th Section.

Geo. Hardy, overseer on State Road and Dresden road, 5th Section.

### LOCAL OPINION.

A petition was lodged and filed asking that an election be held June 10th, 1902, to see whether or not spirituous liquors, or malt liquors shall be sold in the city of Hickman. The petition lays over for exceptions until the next, May term of the court.

### BOTTOM LANDS BOOMING

The Effect of Levee Prospects. On Monday, the Master Commissioner made sale of the partnership lands of Watson & Wilson the land being inside the proposed Hickman and Tippecanoe Levee. The prices paid were about double the appraised value.

The proceeds were held June 10th, 1902, to see whether or not spirituous liquors, or malt liquors shall be sold in the city of Hickman. The petition lays over for exceptions until the next, May term of the court.

The S. E. q. of Sec. 15, T. 1, N. 6, W. containing 160 acres \$1,150.00.

The West half of S. W. or of Sec. 14, T. 1, R. 6, W. on Hamby Ford containing 784 acres, to Mrs. Lucy Watson, \$950.00.

The South half of the N. E. q. of Sec. 15, T. 1, R. 6, W. containing 160 acres, to D. B. Wilson, \$2,000.

The N. E. q. of Sec. 8, T. 1, R. 6, W. containing 160 acres, to D. B. Wilson, \$2,000.

The divided 75 interest of the S. E. q. of Sec. 17, T. 1, R. 6, W. containing 160 acres, to Luther Watson \$2,075.

The commission also made sale of 3 Town lots of C. B. Wilson, old and D. E. Wilson became the purchaser.

### SALOONS OR NO SALOONS

Monday, June 10th, the Day. A petition was filed before County Judge Kearby, Monday, with the required number of names signed, asking that the County Court be called to the provisions of the State law, over an election to be held at the voting precincts in the town of Hickman, to obtain the vote of the legal voters within the corporate limits as to whether spirituous liquors, or malt liquors, shall be sold in said city or not.

The required number of voters have signed the petition, and the county Judge will enter, or refuse to enter, the election, at the May term of his court.

The petition is signed by only 3 or 4 business men, and presumably all the other business men are opposed to reopening saloons in Hickman. They have tested it for a number of years without success, have had opportunity to test the effect upon business and trade, and a very large majority of them do not want saloons. The temperance people and the church people, at least a large majority of them, are opposed to saloons, and are organizing to fight every inch of ground to keep the saloons out, if the election is ordered.

It is asserted that a number of the petitioners are not legal voters, and that if all such voters are stricken off, the list will be reduced below the required number. However, the anti-saloon people may look and be prepared for a warm and hot fight, for those favoring saloons have been "counting noses" long time and appear confident of their strength. The Courier sees no necessity for restoring saloons in Hickman. The only argument in their favor is that of revenue, and on this point the majority of business people and tax payers are against them.

## CLOSING OUT OUR BUSINESS.

On May 15th we close out our Book Store, and we now offer our entire Stock, Furniture and fixtures at Cost.

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## OBITUARY.

On the third day of April, 1902, the dearly loved wife of Mr. J. M. Elks, and claimed for his victim, died at her home in March. She had never married. She said she had lived long enough and wanted to die. She was born in North Carolina and came to Kentucky in 1840. From that time she lived with her brother until twelve years ago she has resided with her nephew, Mr. J. M. Elks. In her early years she professed faith in Christ and united with the Cumberland Presby. church and lived a consistent christian until her death. "Aunt Mollie" as she was called by all who knew her will be sadly missed. We will miss her for we loved her, but God knew best, and we sorrow not for those who have no hope. "O' her death had no sting. May we imitate the true christian life she lived. God bless her memory.

Her Niece S. T. S.

## OUR DAILY THOUGHTS.

There is only one way to advertise that is to be known your name, your location, your business so constantly, so persistently, so thoroughly into the people's heads that if they walk in their sleep they will constantly turn their steps toward your store. The newspaper is your friend in spite of your criticism. It helps to build up the community which supports you. When the day comes that the newspapers are dead the people are near the edge of the great gulch headed to write the epitaph.

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As to what kind of Furniture you want. There is such a variety of styles in our stock that it is hard to choose among so many attractive articles, but once the selection is made you can depend upon the quality being superior, the style correct, the price right.

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## BETTER

GIVE UP ALL THE COLONIES.

Ex Post master Don M. Dickerson, of Michigan, one of the prominent Democratic supporters of the administration, is strenuously opposed to what he considers the operation of section law in the Philippines. His attention was called to the cable report from Manila to the effect that the editors and managers of a Manila news paper have been arrested on a charge of publishing a scurrilous attack on the civil government. The paper is charged to the dispatches with having accused the government of constituting a protectorate over a set of men who should be in jail or deported. It added: "It is notorious that much of the commission's government is rotten and corrupt."

Mr. Dickerson said: "I have never felt that our government was wrong in taking over the Philippines. I remain an open question whether we should retain them. I have been strongly opposed to hauling down the flag while under fire, and I have, on the whole, sympathized with the Administration in its Philippine policy. I do not think even a military censorship of the local press should be criticized. Moreover, I had reluctantly concluded that the commission did not follow the flag into these dependencies."

"But at the same time I would rather give up these islands, lose all they cost us, lower the flag around the world and get out of Porto Rico, Cuba and Hawaii, than to see our civil authorities committed to the task of imposing in our name any such abominable relic of bad despotism as this."

BRYAN AT FULTON.

Hon. W. J. Bryan is advertised to lecture at Fulton Monday, April 28th. Hon. Ollie James is billed to speak at the same place, April 19th, and invites his opponents to meet him in joint debate.

## INSECTS HATE MUSIC.

It is somewhat remarkable fact that most insects have the greatest dislike to music.

Music played under a tree infested with caterpillars causes them to fall to the ground, and it is said that a sure way to rid a house of crickets and black beetles is to play only loud music for a few nights.

Every one who keeps bees knows how the humming of bees or the blowing of horns appear to stupefy them when they are swarming and render them easy to capture.

Swarms of bees can be prevented from fighting by loud music, and in the Southern States, when these pests are on wing, the neighbors protect their fields by blowing horns and beating tin kettles, "Cassid's Journal."

## THE LOCUST.

The seventeen year locust will appear in large numbers in Kentucky the last week in May. The people will remember them in 1885, they were here in countless numbers, and so they will be here again this year. They began to show up in this country in 1715 and have arrived on regular time ever since, and this is the year after which they will not come again until 1919.

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It is believed that no proof exists that General Miles desires a nomination for the Presidency. On the contrary he has distinctly stated that he has not. General Miles has made several propositions of late touching military affairs, indicating that he has been thinking about running for President. He has a good record in the military service, and he has a good record in the civil service. He has a good record in the military service, and he has a good record in the civil service. He has a good record in the military service, and he has a good record in the civil service.

The Kentucky State Board of Pharmacy is to make a crusade against the sale of cocaine to negroes.

Willy Wally Astor's London paper says that Willy Astor's consumption is a special ambassador at the coronation of King Edward may be revoked because he is a gentleman, and the paper expresses surprise that any gentleman could be content to live in this country. But what does Willy Wally know about gentlemen in America or anywhere else?

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It is believed that before the adjournment of Congress an announcement will be made of the postponement of the St. Louis World's Fair. The Exposition officials are said to realize that such steps are inevitable, but hope to have the Government take the initial action.

## ONE CENT A MILE TO TEXAS.

On account of the Confederate Veteran Reunion, April 25th to 28th round trip tickets will be sold to Dallas via the Cotton Belt at a very low rate of one cent a mile. This rate is open to everybody. Tickets will be valid April 18th, 19th and 20th and will be limited to May 2nd for return, but will be extended to May 15th for those who stop over will be allowed at any points in Arkansas or Texas on either going or returning trip. Low rate side trip tickets will be sold from Dallas to all parts of Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory. The round trip rate from Cairo will be \$12.15. If you ever expect to visit Texas this will be the chance of your life to do so. For rate and schedule from your home town and for hand- somely illustrated pamphlets describing Arkansas and Texas write to:

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## THROUGH SLEEPERS VIA MOBILE & OHIO R. R.

Between St. Louis and New Orleans, St. Louis and Mobile, St. Louis and Jacksonville, Ask for tickets via M. & O. R. R.

Mr. R. M. McHenry, Thursday, received a turtle weighing over 400 pounds. One fellow, experimenting, stuck his finger in the box, and a turtle bit it clear off.

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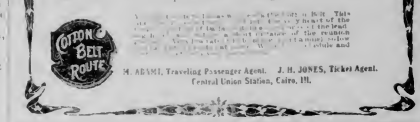
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## A Free Picture of Gen. Lee

Any veteran, who contemplates attending the Reunion at Dallas, April 22nd to 25th, will receive a handsome picture of General Robert E. Lee, and a copy of his farewell address (suitable for framing, if he will send us his name and address, and the name and address of the Camp to which he belongs.



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## WASH GOODS.

Our line of these goods this season surpasses anything we have here-to-fore shown both in the extent of the stock and the beauty of variety of patterns.

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Prices ranging from 5c up to 60c.

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### Cheers For The Speakers.

JAMES AND CROSSLAND APPEARED.

About 1,000 people were in attendance at the speaking of the Democratic congressional candidates at Murray Monday afternoon, many being kept away by the cool weather. The speakers were in good voice and were repeatedly cheered.

The joint debate began promptly at 1 o'clock. Col. Sam Crossland leading off with a forty-five minute speech. He was followed by George W. Greenup and then Ollie James spoke for an hour. Mr. Crossland was allowed to follow Mr. James in a short talk. Mr. Crossland's speech was of substance the same as he delivered at Beaton last week. He was heartily cheered.

Mr. James spoke in his usually pleasing style and his oratory was received with enthusiasm.—Padsden News Democrat.

### MORE LIVES ARE SAVED BY USING.

### Dr. King's New Discovery,

Consumption, Coughs and Colds.

Than By All Other Throat and Lung Remedies Combined.

This wonderful medicine positively cures Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Pneumonia, Hay Fever, Pleurisy, LaGrippe, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Croup and Whooping Cough. **NO CURE, NO PAY.** Price 50c. & \$1. Trial Bottle Free. COWGILL & COWGILL.

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## RED LIQUOR THE ISSUE.

EFFORT TO BE MADE TO RE-ESTABLISH SALOONS IN HICKMAN.

(Nashville American.)

Hickman, Ky., April 15. (Special.) A petition has been filed with the County Court and steps are being taken to hold an election on the proposition to repeal the town to saloons. Ed Meyer, who conducted one of the saloons of the place until they were abolished five years ago, has led the movement to secure the required number of voters to sign a petition for the election, the required number being one-fourth of the last vote polled.

Yesterday morning on the opening of court by County Judge H. M. Kearby and when the petition was presented by Attorney F. N. Moore for the saloon men, the citizens, including a number of ladies, were present to challenge the names of the petitioners. It was claimed that of the sixty names enrolled eighteen were illegal. How correct it is not denied that the list carries with these exceptions names sufficient to call the election. The court will not submit the election for one month yet, and in the meantime every effort will be made by the strong opponents of the town to defeat the measure. The fight for closing saloons formerly was one of the severest on record in any town, and the present contest promises to be as hot.

### Invitation to Suicide.

Charlotte, N. C., April 15.—Alban Cossell, one of the wealthiest and oldest farmers in (Cata) township, near Rutherfordton, this state, has made preparations for one of the most remarkable suicides on record.

He has sent out printed invitations to a number of friends and relatives inviting them to a dinner, to be held at his house, four miles from Ellenboro, on June 10. The dinner will be served at 11 o'clock. Promptly at 12 o'clock Cossell will give his guests an opportunity of seeing a man take his own life. Just how Cossell will commit the deed is not stated, but it is understood that he will shoot himself at the table after the repast has been concluded.

### A STRANGE INTERVIEW.

Washington, April 15.—Helen Keller paid a visit to President Roosevelt yesterday and for half an hour the strenuous president and the most remarkable product of education of the age held a spirited conversation. Miss Keller is the girl who has been blind, deaf and dumb from early infancy and was taught to speak and read. She read the words of the president by placing her fingers on his lips and her replies were clearly understood by him.

### FLOW POINTS.

Take your Flow Points to George Buck and have them sharpened, two for 25 cents.

## PROTRACTED MEETING.

A protracted meeting began at the Baptist church, Monday night, conducted by Rev. W. D. Nowlin of Lexington, Ky., together with Rev. T. S. Moore, the local pastor. Services will be continued during the week, and perhaps next week. Rev. Nowlin is an able, eloquent minister, and occupies a prominent position in the Southern Baptist Church.

## The Great Disual Swamp.

Of Virginia is a breeding ground of malaria germs. So is low, wet or marshy ground everywhere. These germs cause weakness, chills and fever, and in the homes and nurseries, and may induce dangerous maladies. But Electric Filters never fail to destroy them and cure malaria troubles. They will surely prevent typhoid. We tried many remedies for malaria and stomach and liver troubles," writes J. H. Charleston, of Byrsville, O., "but never found relief as quick as Electric Filters. Try them. Only the Cowgill & Cowgill guarantee satisfaction."

## CONQUERED PATRIOTS.

There will doubtless be a universal hope that the peace is about to be established in South Africa. The basis of the termination of hostilities, many are anxious to see the complete surrender of the Boers and their exiles, many of the Boers and their exiles are in such a deplorable state. Some such a result appears inevitable, the sooner the end is reached and the shedding of patriotic blood ceased, the better.

## A Doctor's Bad Pupil.

Two years ago, as a result of a severe cold, I lost my voice," writes Dr. M. L. Scarborough, of Hebron, Ohio, "then began an obstinate cough. Every remedy I tried, to me as a practicing physician for 35 years, failed, and I daily regarded it as a hopeless case. I then read King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I found quick relief, and for last ten days have felt better than for two years. Positively guaranteed for Throat and Lung troubles by Cowgill & Cowgill, 5c and \$1.00 Trial bottle free.

## BATTLE FOR VOTES.

The women of Cleveland, O., are now to be arrayed against each other in a battle for the votes of the men. The women of the Republican league is just begun to organize the voters for the April elections. Every ward will soon be under the control of some woman who will be held responsible for the appointment of precinct workers and who will select women in every block to see that no woman of doubtful reputation neglects to register and to vote on election day. At the Democratic headquarters Mrs. Barber, who is in charge, said: "The women are taking the greatest interest in the election. The schools we think should be put in charge of a Democrat who will give these school administration as they have never had before."

## HIGH PRICE OF BEEF.

There is no wisdom in the efforts of the so-called beef trust to discourage the proposed investigation which President Roosevelt is expected to have ordered. Producers and consumers of beef have a paramount interest in the outcome of proceedings which the United States District Attorney Warner of Kansas City may bring.

During the past few months the prices of meat have been raised in an apparently arbitrary manner. While it is true that the farmers have received high prices for their stock, most of the profits go into the hands of the packers. The law of supply and demand does not explain the cost to consumers. Packers claim that they have not organized a trust, but have simply fired the price, there being no profit-sharing. If competition is to be maintained, there is enough of a trust to be unlawful. The Federal courts should investigate. If the laws of the country have been violated the penalties should be enforced.

## Local News.

### N. C. & ST. L. R. R. SCHEDULE.

LEAVE HICKMAN.  
No. 3, Leaves 2:50 p. m.  
No. 91, Leaves 7:50 p. m.  
No. 55, Leaves 7:00 a. m.

### ARRIVE.

No. 4, Arrives 1:30 p. m.  
No. 92, Arrives 7:20 a. m.  
No. 54, Arrives 8:40 a. m.

The river is dropping fast.

Rob Layne visited in Wingo this week.

R. & G. Cores are guaranteed not to stretch, add in AMBERGOS.

Big John Moore went to Clinton Sunday.

R. H. Kirk was in Cairo this week on business.

Mrs. Lizzie Fankle is visiting in Deer Tenn. this week.

You will find Shirt Waists made for ladies.

Embroidery club meets with Mrs. W. S. Ellison this evening.

Misses Jane Pauline and Maude Moore spent Sunday in Troy.

S. S. Morris, of Fulton, was in Hickman on business, Monday.

R. & G. Cores never stretch, add only in AMBERGOS.

Mr. Ed Marshall of the Union City Commercial was in Hickman Sunday.

The best line of black dress goods we have ever shown. R. C. AMBERGOS.

Miss Anna Everett of Crutcheville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Perry.

Mr. Clint Howell, of Cassfield, visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Hays Sunday.

Miss Maude Moore and sister Lizzie are visiting Mrs. Lela Davidson at Lyon this week.

See the ad of D. E. Wilson & Co. in this issue.

Miss Belle Moore of Chattanooga is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Byron Parham.

Quite a number of our young folks enjoyed the ball in Union City, Thursday evening.

Don't fail to call for Blue Trading Stamps with every cash purchase at Swaynes.

Miss Minerva Crady of Mayfield, was the guest of Mrs. R. McKimney for a day this week.

E. E. Reeves & Co., sell Buggies that you can't beat in price or grade.

Miss Essie Davis of Union City is visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis this week.

E. E. Reeves & Co., sell you a leather quarter Top Buggy at \$25.00 and up.

Mr. Walter Baker and daughter (Miss) from Crutcheville visited Mrs. H. W. Neathy Sunday.

Mrs. May Southerman and husband are spending a few days in the country.

Buy your cylinder oil at Cowgill's Drug Store.

W. P. Taylor, Jim Carter, F. C. Reeves, Geo. Mulford and Dan Norman, of Fulton were in Hickman on business Monday.

E. E. Reeves & Co. carries the largest stock of 25 different styles of Buggies.

Capt. Jas. Pickett has sold the Magnin Barrer to Pauline parties. She has been used for towing cars, logs, etc., here.

See the line of wash goods at AMBERGOS.

Ed Hardemon will fill his regular appointment at Mt. Vernon, next Sunday and next night. All ladies cordially invited.

Swaynes the druggist invites the ladies to call and see his excellent line of face powder, pink and white at 15c.

Mr. C. A. Caruthers of Union City is attending the bed-side of her sick sister Mrs. A. O. Caruthers who is quite near.

Capt. H. Buchanan, C. A. Holcomb, John Rogers, Wm. Stoker, Ben Wilson, and other old Confederates, will leave on the 24th for the Illinois reunion.

New line of R. & G. Cores at AMBERGOS.

Dr. N. K. Davidson who has been absent at Tiptonville, in the practice of his profession, has returned home and is again at his office regularly.

Miss Nannie Alexander, daughter of Jay J. H. Alexander, of the Crutcheville neighborhood, this county, died, of consumption, Friday last.

Est. Hickman is improving rapidly, several new dwellings being erected, now, others to be commenced soon. All they need now, is good walks, lights and water.

It will be money in your pocket to visit Wilson's Book Store and take advantage of the cost prices. See just started.

Mr. Alec Stone, of Milan, Tenn., has taken the place of his brother, A. Stone, in the home of Baiter & D. Stone, for two months, to give his brother a vacation. A. Stone has been in ill health for some time.

Mrs. Margaret Cox was chosen Queen of the Fulton Carnival. She selected John B. Carver, of Paton, to ride with her as King. Dr. J. M. Alexander and Charles Payne are to be the Queen's escorts.

The Kentucky Legislature has passed the Levee Bill and the governor has signed it. Now if the home guard who are the Hickman Courier, can be obtained and put to the test, the levee will be commenced and completed this year.—New Madrid Monitor.

# New Firm! New Goods! New Business!

## NEW PLAN OF BUSINESS.

Mr. Cue Threlkeld has established a new Family Grocery. New Stock in every detail and particular, no old stock to work off, and he is determined to show his patrons not only the benefits and advantage of buying new and fresh groceries but also the benefits of his.

## New Cash Plan.

That new cash plan does not mean to sell you goods for cash at credit prices, but it does mean to sell you good goods and more of them for Cash than any credit house can afford to sell you. The credit house is bound to make the cash buyer and the really good man pay the losses of its bad debts. I can convince you that my prices gives all this and interest on their money to my patrons. Try me and I will prove to you by actual prices.

## CUE THRELKELD,

Clinton, St. Next door to F. E. Case.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Parker are visiting relatives in Hickman.

FOR RENT.

Business house, on Clinton street. Apply to Mrs. Katie Witting.

The formal transfer of the Attorney General's office from Crutcheville to Pratt took place Sunday.

Mrs. Francis Edgeman Harris, who in private life, is Mrs. Stephen T. Harris, is seriously ill in New York.

A real peace conference is on in South Africa, participated in by the leading Boer generals and civil officials.

Lawyer Jas. A. Violet of Frankfort, has been fined \$200 and ordered to jail for six months for shooting at a police man.

Herman R. Hiltner, who for the past two months has been at home on a vacation, left for the first for Chicago, to attend the department of Pharmacy of the Illinois Medical College.

"A scoundrel ran in with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy when my son was suffering with severe cramps and was given up as beyond hope by my regular physician, who stands high in his profession. After administering three doses of it, my son regained consciousness and recovered entirely within twenty-four hours," says Mrs. Mary Haller, of Mt. Crawford, Va. This Remedy is for sale by Cowgill & Cowgill.

The State Board Equalization reduced Fulton County tax from their own assessment 10 per cent on land and personal property and 1 per cent on town lots. This makes a reduction of about \$8000 in the whole county. But this still leaves our assessment 10 per cent on land and personal property and 5 per cent on town lots, higher than our County Assessment fixed them.

Ballantyne died of Wale Hampton, one of South Carolina's greatest sons is dead. He was elected Governor of his State in 1876 and while enjoying the benefits of two through daily train in each direction, and an accommodation train between Charleston and Mobile.

Write J. M. McRae, Assistant General Manager, St. Louis, for particulars.

M. B. SHAW'S STORES

Others now at Cue Threlkeld's Cash Grocery House.

All parties indebted to us must settle at once, or their accounts will be placed in an officers hands.

D. E. WILSON & CO.

Mrs. R. Y. McConnell, of Jordan, is visiting her son, Dr. H. H. Pratt.

SEED CORN FOR SALE.

A fine lot of seed corn.

John Ringwood,



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## CURRENT TOPICS.

The dismal war news are alive with

England's budget deficit will reach

\$2,700,000.

South Carolina has 30,000 operatives in

cotton mills.

Some New York restaurants now

have "smoking rooms for ladies."

No less than 185 species of butter

flies are found in Mexico and Central

America.

Electricity has increased the power

of sea coast lights to that of 3,000

candles.

The average wages of women in

France are only about one-third those

of the men.

Before a Chinaman can quit Austria

he is compelled to register and

leave his photograph.

The Chicago ministers are going to

begin a crusade against the slaughter

of pigeons in trap shooting.

The freight charges for hauling an

acre of cotton from Pennsylvania mills

aggregate \$100,000 a year.

Venezuelan coffee planters get only

one-third the price they used to be

paid for Brazilian overproduction ruled

the market.

The price of Wales' private yacht at

Sandringham is one of the small

rooms in the palace, and is lighted

only by a single window.

After a two years' test of an auto

mobile for army use in Austria there

was a saving of \$100,000 over the

conveyance driven by horses.

The Greeks, after exercising, always

anointed their bodies with perfumed

oil, sometimes perfume being contin-

ued for three or four times a day.

In nearly every street in Japanese

cities is a public oven where, for a

small fee, housewives may have their

dinner and supper cooked for them.

The viceroy will not grow at a greater

height than 2,000 feet above the sea,

nor the oak above 3,250 feet. The

fir, however, flourishes up to nearly

7,000 feet.

Water thrown from ice in the Arctic

regions will shiver it just as boiling

water breaks glass. This is be-

cause the ice is so much colder than

the water.

Dr. D. M. Foster, one of the few

survivors of the land of men who built

the first railroad west of the Alle-

ghanies, about 1830, is still living at

Bloomington, Ill.

For sending a congratulatory tele-

gram to the sailor on his birthday

several sergeants of a Prussian In-

fantry regiment were placed under

arrest for five days.

The United States government

statistics the total imports and ex-

ports of the merchandise of the

United States last year averaged \$11,

000,000 a day each.

St. Savoirsman averages the \$11,

000,000 a day each.

An increase of 2,500,000 marks is

shown in the German imports from

America last year over the year before.

The exports to this country showed

a decrease of \$1,000,000 marks.

The municipal consumption hos-

pital of New York City has proved

ineffective that four buildings will

be added to it and the appropriation

for its support increased by \$18,000

annually.

The rows in Belgium war ear-

nings the law decrees that every

war it has attained the rank of

months must have in its car a ring

to which it attached a numbered

metal tag.

The average number of inmates in

Bellevue hospital, New York, is equal

to that of a good-sized town—that is,

from 2,000 to 3,000—and of these

good many are unable to help them-

selves.

Senor Gonzales de Quesada is men-

tioned as Cuba's first diplomatic rep-

## THE BOER LEADERS.

They Are Considering Terms of Peace  
With Great Britain.

London, April 14.—The announce-

ment of the presence at Pretoria of

the O. G. P. Free State and Transvaal

leaders and generals who have been

at Klerksdorp, considering terms of

peace has caused a decided increase

in the hopefulness of the public concern-

ing the possibility of peace.

The expectations aroused by the

conference at Pretoria have been fur-

ther heightened by the movements of

Mr. Chamberlain, the colonial secre-

tary, and other members of the cabi-

net in London, and evidence that im-

portant dispatches are passing be-

tween Lord Kitchener and the govern-

ment.

A conference of members of the cabi-

net was held Saturday night at mid-

night at Mr. Chamberlain's house. Mr.

Chamberlain, Mr. Broderick, the war

secretary, Sir Michael Hicks Beach,

the chancellor of the exchequer, and

the duke of Devonshire, president of

the council, were present. The confer-

ence terminated at a late hour. Sat-

urday morning and Sunday Mr. Cham-

berlain and several of the colonial offi-

cers were in their offices.

Mr. Chamberlain left London and Sir

Michael Hicks Beach at his residence.

Sunday afternoon Mr. Chamberlain

went to Johannesburg and will re-

mained with King Edward for two

days. During the afternoon messen-

gers carried dispatches from the

colon office to Lord Salisbury, who

with Mr. Hailford, the government

leader in the house of commons, was

at Harfield house.

These outward signs of Simla's ac-

tivity have not been supplemented by

any authentic or official statement.

Whatever instructions have been

sent to Lord Kitchener are believed

to be only provisional in character.

At the same time the declaration of

the conference at Klerksdorp is re-

garded as an indication that the Boer

leaders found little difficulty in agree-

ing upon the basis of negotiations.

The transfer of the negotiations to

Pretoria, where both Lord Kitchener

and Lord Moberg, the British high com-

missioners in South Africa, are at

present, is interpreted by the morning

papers as meaning that the Boers are

prepared to make formal peace propo-

sals.

The latest reports received from

the Boer leaders in Johannesburg and

Pretoria are that the Boers are pre-

pared to make peace on terms that

are acceptable to the British govern-

ment, and that the Boers are pre-

pared to accept the maximum obtain-

able.

CHOLERA IN THE PHILIPPINES.

The Situation in the Provinces Is Be-

coming Alarming.

Manila, April 14.—The cholera situ-

ation in Manila continues much the

same, but the conditions in the pro-

vinces are becoming alarmingly bad.

The total of cholera cases in Manila up to

April 14 is 245, while there have been

102 deaths from the disease. In the

provinces there have been 315 cases

and 318 deaths.

The United States army transport

General, which is on its way to Samar

Island, put on board a steamer

from Luzon, having on board a steamer

which had the cholera. The Grant

is quarantined for five days. As her

supply of water, food and coal were

limited, she was ordered to leave Manila

the steamer died of the disease. Four

Americans have been attacked with

cholera in Manila and one of them

died.

ENDED HER LIFE.

Grief Over Her Son's Troubled Suicide.

Mrs. Goldman to Commit Suicide.

Chicago, April 14.—Grief over the

difficulties in which her son had im-

posed himself, led Mrs. Goldman to

commit suicide. Her son, William

Goldman, of the firm of Goldman,

Chicago, died of the disease. She

## LIEUT. GEN. MILES.

His Enforced Retirement Is Only  
a Question of Time.

Gen. Brooke, Who Is Miles' Son-In-

Both in Service and in Age, Will

Probably Be Appointed in

His Stead.

Washington, April 14.—The issue

is fairly joined between the lieuten-

ant general and the secretary of war.

The troubles, which began long ago

under the Cleveland administration,

have finally reached so critical a stage

that the compulsory retirement of Gen.

Miles at an early date is an open

secret and is not denied at the white

house. The explanation of President

Roosevelt's position one of his

friends, who unquestionably speaks

by authority, says:

"The issue is not a personal one

between Gen. Miles and Secretary

Root. At present Secretary Root has

on his shoulders a heavier burden

than any other member of the cabi-

net. No man less strong could carry

it all now, and at the very time

when he requires the most loyal sup-

port of every subordinate who wishes

well to the army and the nation, he

has to spend much of his strength in

meeting the opposition to the com-

manding general. If Gen. Miles is re-

tired, it will be simply because after

passing through the most trying ex-

perience of his life, he is no longer

fit to command. Roosevelt feels that

on the highest ethical grounds

his retirement would work grave and

lasting injury to the army as a

whole."

As some of Gen. Miles' friends

have said that it would be unfair to

retire him, it should be said in the first

place that he secured the promotion to a

brigadier general only through the

similar forced retirement of Gen. Orl,

his superior being, and that the number

of his superior officers into the vacan-

cy created, and, in the second place,

that the only action of the kind taken

by President Roosevelt since he has

been in office was in the case of Col.

Noyes, who was compulsorily retired

after reaching the age of 62, on the

ground of infirmity of mind. It is

not to be taken at his expense. If he

should be retired, Gen. Miles is retired,

Gen. Brooke, who is Miles' son-in-

law, will be promoted to a brigadier

general, and it is known that the

administration has been very desir-

ous of recognizing Gen. Brooke's

services.

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## REV. T. DEWITT TALMAGE DEAD.

Funeral in Washington Tuesday—

Burial in Brooklyn Wednesday.



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